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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Srivastava et al. Confirmation No.: 7769
Serial No.: 09/750,972 Art Unit: 1642
Filed: December 28, 2000 Examiner: Christopher H. Yaen
For: ALPHA (2) MACROGLOBULIN Attorney Docket No: 8449-134
RECEPTOR AS A HEAT SHOCK
PROTEIN RECEPTOR AND USES
THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2002 and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Enclosed herewith is: (1) a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of three months, from March 4, 2003 to June 4, 2003; (2) an Amendment Fee Transmittal; (3) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with List of References Cited (citing references ES through EV) and copies of references ES-EV.

Applicants respectfully request that the amendments and remarks made herein be entered into the record of the instant application.

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